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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *In the Matter of Section 63.71 of Verizon New York Inc. and Verizon New jersey Inc. for Authority Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, As Amended to Discontinue the Provision of Service*
WT Docket Nos. 13-149 and 13-150
Comp. Pol. File Nos. 1112 and 1115
Acknowledgments of Confidentiality / Initial and Second Protective Order

Dear Secretary:

On behalf of the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel, enclosed is the acknowledgment of confidentiality executed by Sarah M. Bosley, Consultant to NJ Division of Rate Counsel, for access to documents covered by the Initial and Second Protective Orders (DA 13-1756 and DA 13-1757). Copies of these acknowledgments are being served by e-mail to Counsel of Record, Wade Lindsay of Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP on behalf of Katharine R. Saunders of Verizon, and Kathleen Grillo, Sr. Vice President, Federal Regulatory Affairs for Verizon.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX A

Acknowledgment of Confidentiality

WC Docket No. 13-150

I hereby acknowledge that I have received and read a copy of the foregoing Protective Order in the above-captioned proceeding, and I understand it.

I agree that I am bound by the Protective Order and that I shall not disclose or use Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information except as allowed by the Protective Order.

I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission. I further acknowledge that the Commission retains its full authority to fashion appropriate sanctions for violations of this Protective Order, including but not limited to suspension or disbarment of Counsel or Consultants from practice before the Commission, forfeitures, cease and desist orders, and denial of further access to Confidential Information in this or any other Commission proceeding.

I acknowledge that nothing in the Protective Order limits any other rights and remedies available to a Submitting Party at law or in equity against me if I use Confidential Information in a manner not authorized by this Protective Order.

I certify that I am not involved in Competitive Decision-Making.

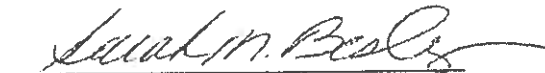
Without limiting the foregoing, to the extent that I have any employment, affiliation, or role with any person or entity other than a conventional private law firm (such as, but not limited to, a lobbying or advocacy organization), I acknowledge specifically that my access to any information obtained as a result of the Protective Order is due solely to my capacity as Outside Counsel or Outside Consultant to a party or as a person described in paragraph 9 of the foregoing Protective Order and agree that I will not use such information in any other capacity.

I acknowledge that it is my obligation to ensure that Stamped Confidential Documents are not duplicated except as specifically permitted by the terms of the Protective Order, and to ensure that there is no disclosure of Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information in my possession or in the possession of those who work for me except as specifically permitted by the terms of the Protective Order.

I certify that I have verified that there are in place procedures at my firm or office to prevent unauthorized disclosure of Stamped Confidential Documents and Confidential Information.

Capitalized terms used herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Protective Order.

Executed this 26th day of August, 2013.



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APPENDIX B**Acknowledgment of Confidentiality****WC Docket No. 13-150**

I hereby acknowledge that I have received and read a copy of the foregoing Second Protective Order in the above-captioned proceeding, and I understand it.

I agree that I am bound by the Second Protective Order and that I shall not disclose or use Stamped Highly Confidential Documents or Highly Confidential Information except as allowed by the Second Protective Order.

I acknowledge that a violation of the Second Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission. I further acknowledge that the Commission retains its full authority to fashion appropriate sanctions for violations of this Second Protective Order, including but not limited to suspension or disbarment of Counsel or Consultants from practice before the Commission, forfeitures, cease and desist orders, and denial of further access to Confidential or Highly Confidential Information in this or any other Commission proceeding.

I acknowledge that nothing in the Second Protective Order limits any other rights and remedies available to a Submitting Party at law or in equity against me if I use Highly Confidential Information in a manner not authorized by this Second Protective Order.

I certify that I am not involved in Competitive Decision-Making.

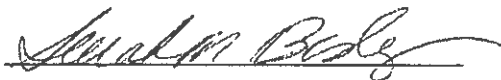
Without limiting the foregoing, to the extent that I have any employment, affiliation, or role with any person or entity other than a conventional private law firm (such as, but not limited to, a lobbying or advocacy organization), I acknowledge specifically that my access to any information obtained as a result of the Second Protective Order is due solely to my capacity as Outside Counsel or Outside Consultant to a party or as a person described in paragraph 12 of the foregoing Second Protective Order and agree that I will not use such information in any other capacity.

I acknowledge that it is my obligation to ensure that Stamped Highly Confidential Documents are not duplicated except as specifically permitted by the terms of the Second Protective Order, and to ensure that there is no disclosure of Stamped Highly Confidential Documents or Highly Confidential Information in my possession or in the possession of those who work for me except as specifically permitted by the terms of the Second Protective Order.

I certify that I have verified that there are in place procedures at my firm or office to prevent unauthorized disclosure of Stamped Highly Confidential Documents and Highly Confidential Information.

Capitalized terms used herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Protective Order or the Second Protective Order.

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